

REMARKS

The Figures have been corrected to properly illustrate the formula for the (N-Boc)-2-aminoethylbromide alkylating agent (2) of Figure 1. The Boc group was inadvertently omitted from Figure 1 as originally filed. Support for this correction can be found throughout the specification as filed, particularly at page 6, paragraph 2 in Scheme 1; pages 8-9, the bridging sentence of paragraph 4, and at page 9, paragraph 3. Applicants respectfully submit that no new matter has been added to the application as filed via this correction to Figure 1.

Claims 1-13 are pending in this application. Claims 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 9, 12, and 13 have been amended to correct grammatical errors and informalities contrary to U.S. patent practice. In particular, article-noun pluralities have been matched, parenthesis have been removed, improperly capitalized letters have been corrected to lower case letters, and multiple dependencies have been recited in the alternative. Applicants respectfully submit that no new matter has been added via these amendments to the claims.

Favorable consideration and allowance are earnestly solicited. Should any questions regarding patentability arise, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned to discuss the same.

Respectfully submitted,

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Figure 1

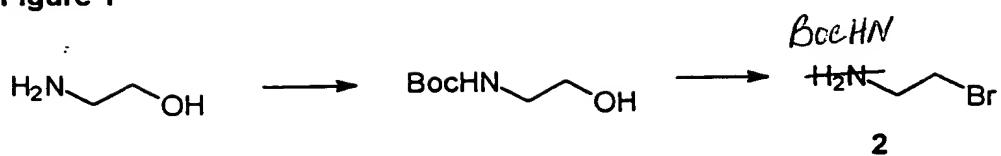


Figure 2

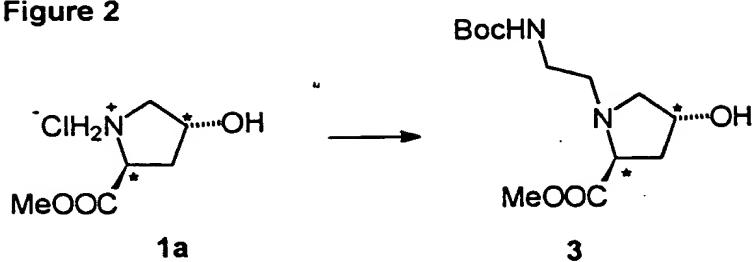


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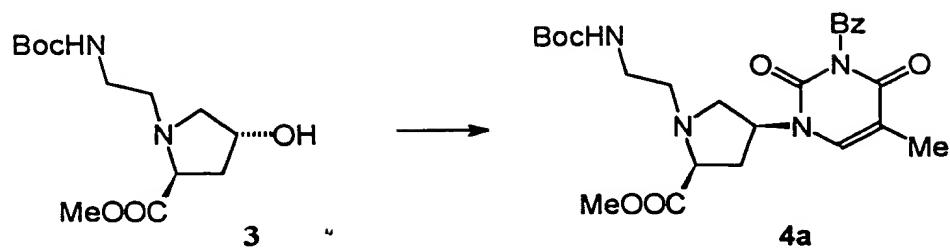


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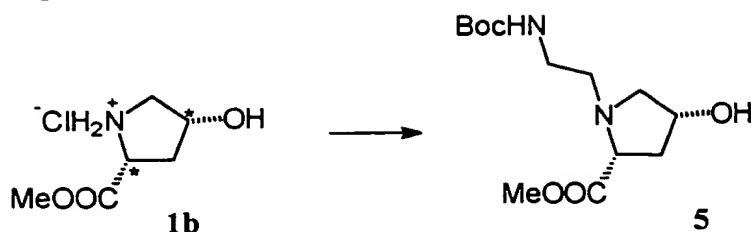
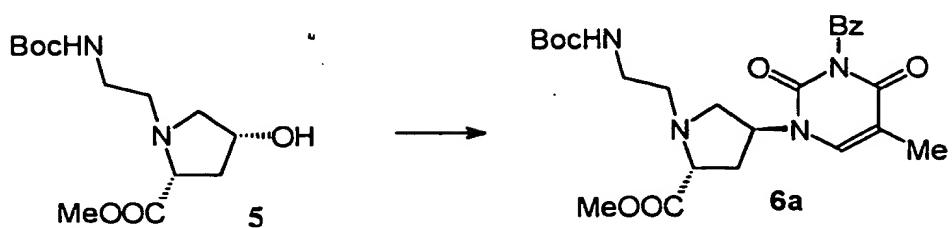


Figure 5



FIGS. 1 to 5